

Jacksonville Daily Journal.

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 19, 1906.

TORN ASUNDER BY EARTH- QUAKE AND SWEEP BY FIRE! SAN FRANCISCO ALMOST LAID WASTE--GREATEST CA- LAMITY IN HISTORY OF STATE.

Number of Dead Placed at One Thousand and as Many More
Injured--Entire Business Portion of City in Ruins and
Buildings Dynamited to Check the Flames--Awful Calamity
Came Without Warning--Thousands of People Homeless
and Huddled in Parks and Public Places.

San Francisco, April 18, 10 p. m.—It looks now as if the entire city will be burned. Associated Press men are trying to get matter to Oakland by boat but are very uncertain. The government is furnishing tugs, but confusion is so great that they cannot be relied upon. It will be impossible to send full details for several days.

At 3:30 o'clock this morning the fire was still raging and indications are the entire city will be destroyed.

Oakland, Cal., April 18.—Earthquake and fire to day have caused the greatest calamity California has ever known. In San Francisco alone it is estimated that one thousand persons perished, while as many more were injured. The entire business portion of the city is in ruins and flames which, owing to the lack of water cannot be checked except by the blowing up with dynamite of buildings in their path. It is utterly impossible at present to estimate the property loss. Thousands of people are homeless and many are huddled in the parks and public squares, beside the household goods they were able to save. The city is under martial law and all down town streets are patrolled by cavalry and infantry. Details of troops are also guarding the banks. Most of the principal buildings have been destroyed and others are in imminent danger. Over all the scene of destruction hangs a dense cloud of smoke. Communication with outside towns is almost entirely cut off, but the report comes from Palo Alto that all but one of the buildings of Stanford university were wrecked, and that the splendid Memorial church, one of the finest in the world, is a mass of ruins. One student was killed.

In Oakland five persons were killed, San Jose, Sacramento, Berkeley, Alameda and other places heard from suffered severely, but report no loss of life.

NO WARNING.

The dreadful earthquake shock came without warning at precisely 5:15 o'clock this morning. Its motion apparently being from east to west. At first the upheaval of the earth was gradual, but in a few seconds it increased in intensity. Chimneys began to fall and buildings to crack, tottering on their foundations. People became panic stricken and rushed into the streets, most of them in their night attire. They were met by showers of falling buildings, bricks, cornices and walls. Many were instantly crushed to death and others dreadfully mangled. Those who remained indoors generally escaped with their lives, though scores were hit by detached plaster and articles thrown to the floor by the shock. It is believed more or less loss was sustained by nearly every family in the city. Tall steel structures stood the strain better than brick buildings, a few of them being barely damaged. The big eleven story Monadnock office building, in course of construction adjoining the Palace hotel, was an exception, its rear wall collapsing and many cracks being made across its front. Some docks and freight sheds along the water front slid into the bay. Deep fissures opened in the filled-in ground near the shore and the union ferry depot was almost wrecked.

A portion of the new city hall, which cost more than \$7,000,000, collapsed, the roof sliding into the courtyard and several smaller towers tumbling down, with the great dome being moved, but not falling.

The new postoffice, one of the finest in the United States, was badly shattered.

The Valencia hotel, a four story wooden building, sank into the basement, a pile of splintered timbers, under which were

planned many dead and dying occupants of the house. The basement was full of water and some of the helpless victims were drowned.

FIRE BREAKS OUT.

Scarcely had the earth ceased to shake when fires broke out simultaneously in many places. The fire department promptly responded to the first calls for aid, but it was found the water mains had been rendered useless by the underground movement. The flames quickly spread and soon many blocks were seen to be dooming. Dynamite was resorted to and sounds of frequent explosions added to the terror of the people. All efforts to stay the progress of the fire proved futile. The south side of Market street, from Ninth street to the bay was soon ablaze, the fire covering a belt two blocks wide. On this thoroughfare are located many of the finest edifices, including the Grant, Parrott, Flood, Call, Examiner and Monadnock buildings, the Palace and Grand hotels and numerous wholesale houses.

At the same time commercial establishments and banks north of Market street were burning. The burning district in this section extended from Sansome street to the water front and from Market street to Broadway. Fires also broke out in the Mission and the entire city seemed to be in flames.

FIRE RAGING.

The flames were fanned by a rising breeze that swept the main wholesale business street. It was impossible to reach the center of the city from the bay without skirting the shore for a long distance so as to get entirely around the burning district. About 8 o'clock Southern Pacific officials refused to allow any more passengers from trans-bay points to land and sent back those already on boats.

PATROL STREETS.

At 9 o'clock this morning a thousand men from the presidio arrived to patrol the streets. The Thirtieth infantry, 1000 strong, arrived from Angel Island a little later. The soldiers have been ordered to shoot down thieves caught in the act of robbing the dead and to guard with their lives the millions of dollars worth of property that had been placed in the streets. The First California artillery, 200 strong, has been detailed to patrol only on Ellis street. Two more companies are patrolling Broadway in the Italian section. The mayor appointed committees of safety and ordered the bakeries and milk stations to harbor their food supply for the homeless. Fire insurance companies will not discriminate between fire and earthquake and will pay in full all losses.

NOTHING SAVED.

Fire swept down the streets so rapidly it was practically impossible to save anything in its way. It reached the Grand opera house on Mission street and in a moment that structure was a mass of flames. The Metropolitan Opera company from New York had just opened the season there and all the expensive scenery and costumes were destroyed. The fire swept on, leveling building after building. The Call building went with others and the flames leaped across Stevenson street and attacked the Chase Spreckels fifteen story stone and iron structure. This building, which had withstood the forces of the earth, appeared doomed to fall a prey to the fire. After a while, however, the flames, finding nothing more to consume, gradually went out, leaving the building standing, but completely gutted.

The Palace hotel, the rear of which was constantly threatened, was the scene of much excitement, the guests leaving in haste, many with only the clothing they wore. Finding that the hotel, being surrounded on all sides by streets, was likely to remain immune, many returned.

The Parrott building, in which were located the chambers of the state supreme

court, the lower floors occupied by an immense department store, was ruined, though its massive walls were not all destroyed. Further down Market street the Academy of Science building and the Jennie Flood building, and the History building kindled and burned like so much tinder. Sparks blew across the street and ignited the Phenon building and the army headquarters of the department of California, which were burned.

Still nearer the bay, the fire took the Rialto building, a handsome skyscraper, and converted scores of solid brick blocks into smoldering piles of brick.

FIRE PROOF BUILDINGS BURN.

Banks and commercial houses, supposed to be fire proof, burned quickly and the roar of the flames could be heard on the hills out of the danger zone. Here thousands of people had congregated and witnessed the awful scene. Great sheets of flame rose high in the heavens or rushed down some narrow street, joining midway between sidewalks and making a horizontal chimney of the former passageways. The dense smoke that arose from the entire business district spread out like an immense funnel and could be seen for miles out at sea. Occasionally as some drug house or place stored with chemicals was reached the most fantastic effects were produced by the colored flames and smoke which rolled out against the darker background.

BEYOND CONTROL.

Los Angeles, April 18.—A dispatch from Oakland late this afternoon says the fire is gaining in San Francisco and is beyond control. The entire city is in danger. An extra issue here at 5:30 says it is estimated the number of dead is now 2,500, and that Fire Chief Sullivan was fatally injured by falling walls. It states the Post-Telegraph building and the Palace hotel are burning.

HOTELS DESTROYED.

All efforts to prevent the fire reaching the Palace and Grand hotels were unsuccessful and both were completely destroyed, together with contents.

All of San Francisco's best business houses are a mass of ruins. The earthquake demolished them for all practical purposes and the fire completed the work of destruction. The Rialto and Casserly buildings burned to the ground, as was everything in that district.

DEAD AND INJURED.

The scene at the Merchants' pavilion during the early hours of the morning and up until noon, when all injured and dead were removed, because of the threatened destruction of the building by fire, was one of indescribable sadness. Sisters, brothers, wives and sweethearts searched eagerly for some missing dear ones. Thousands of persons hurriedly went through the buildings inspecting coffs on which sufferers lay, in the hope of locating some loved one that was missing.

The dead were placed in one portion of the building and the remainder was devoted to hospital purposes. After the fire forced the nurses to desert the building the crowds followed them to the presidio and children's hospital, where they renewed their search for missing relatives.

Up to a late hour this afternoon more than 700 persons, who were seriously injured had been treated at various hospitals throughout the city.

WHOLE SECTION ABLAZE.

New York, April 18.—The Western Union is in receipt of a dispatch from its operator in San Francisco filed at 8:30 p. m. San Francisco time, in which he says he has been along Montgomery street, the section formerly occupied by the Western Union building. He says the entire section is ablaze and is surrounded by United States troops. The block bordered by Montgomery, Bush, Pine and Sansome streets is doomed. Fifteen of

twenty blocks along the water front are now a mass of flames.

FIRE LOSS GREATEST.

The damage by earthquakes does not begin to compare with the loss by fire. The heart of the business section of San Francisco has been destroyed by fire. An area of thickly covered ground eight or ten miles has been burned and there is no telling when the fire will be under control. Mayor Schmitz requested General Funston to furnish soldiers and by 9 o'clock a thousand federal troops were guarding the streets and assisting the firemen in dynamiting buildings. Funston realized that stern measures were necessary and gave orders that looters were to be shot on sight. Four men were summarily executed before 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The fire ate its way southward on both sides of Kearney street and at this writing (8:30 p. m.) was within a block of the California hotel. About 6 o'clock to night the world famous Palace hotel, built at a cost of millions, fell a prey to the conflagration and the Crocker building caught fire. One of the losses of the day was the destruction of St. Ignace church, the greatest Jesuitical institution in the west and built at a cost of a couple of million dollars.

At 7 o'clock to night the fire swept from the south side of the town across Market street and was burning houses at Golden Gate avenue and Octavia. This result was reached after almost the entire southern district from Ninth street to the eastern water front had been converted into a blackened waste. In this section were hundreds of factories, wholesale houses and many business firms, and in addition thousands of homes. On the north side the fire to night was making rapid headway in the western addition.

Throughout the city wherever there is a public square a scene of desolation is presented. Tents have been pitched by fortunate possessors of canyons, but a majority of the homeless people are huddled in frightened groups about their household belongings, which they managed to save from the general ruins.

From Golden Gate park comes news of total destruction of the immense building covering a portion of the children's playground. The walls were shattered beyond repair and destruction is complete. The pillars of the new stone gates at the park entrances were twisted and torn from their foundations. Some weighing four tons were shifted as though they were constructed of chaff.

In Union Square park, where a number of homeless are now being given temporary shelter, the mighty Dewey monument has been shifted from its base. It now stands leaning at an angle of ten degrees and there is danger of the immense stone structure falling.

ANOTHER SHOCK.

Oakland, Cal., April 18. (6:35 p. m.)—Another sharp shock of earthquake was just felt on this side of the bay. It was of short duration, lasting about five seconds.

MILLION DOLLAR LOSS.

Salt Lake, Cal., April 18.—A terrible earthquake occurred here this morning and again this afternoon. The loss will be \$1,000,000. Impossible to reach San Francisco by wire or telephone.

HOSPITAL WRECKED.

San Jose, Cal., April 18.—The Agnew's asylum is a total wreck, many inmates were killed and the remainder are running around loose, terrorizing the community. The superintendent of the institution and his wife were both killed.

UNIVERSITY DEMOLISHED.

Oakland, Cal., April 18.—Telegraph companies have been forced to leave San Francisco and have established offices here. The Associated Press has arranged for messenger service across the river.

Reports have just reached Oakland from Palo Alto saying Stanford university is practically demolished. One student was killed.

DESTRUCTION GENERAL.

San Francisco, April 18.—Reports from cities near San Francisco show destruction was general. Santa Rosa, sixty miles north, is in flames and the damage is over a million dollars. Loss of life not known.

At Napa many buildings were shattered and the property loss will amount to \$200,000. No loss of life.

At Vallejo the damage was slight, about \$10,000.

EASTERN VISITORS UNINJURED.

The agent of the Associated Press wires this comforting message:

"San Francisco, April 18.—For the benefit of eastern people who have friends visiting in San Francisco it is safe to say that they have not been injured."

HOSPITAL USELESS.

Sacramento, Cal., April 18.—Governor Pardee has received a dispatch from Milpitas stating that the state hospital is damaged and useless and Dr. Kelley killed. The number of injured is unknown.

Sacramento, Cal., April 18.—Dr. Stone, superintendent of the Napa State hospital, telephones the governor's office that an automobile arrived there with the news that Santa Rosa has been ruined and between 200 and 300 people killed.

SWEEP INTO SEA.

San Francisco, April 18.—From the Cliff house comes word that the great pleasure resort and show place of the city, which has stood upon a foundation of solid rock, has been swept into the sea. Nothing stands to tell where the monster stone building once stood. It has been leveled to the foundations and only the rock lining the sea coast remains intact.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT

NEW YORK AND OAKLAND CONNECTED

Vivid Description of Destruction of San Francisco Transmitted Over the Wires—Shocks at Oakland are Continuous.

New York, April 18.—With a telegraph instrument in the New York office of the Western Union company connected directly with another instrument in Oakland, Cal., whose operator sat looking across the harbor at San Francisco, a vivid description of the appearance of California's metropolis burning rapidly and with its buildings now and then tossed into the air by dynamite charges, was received by the operator in New York. The telegraph instrument operated by the New York man frequently vibrated from earthquake shocks which were at that moment occurring on the other side of the continent.

"The roar of dynamite from the other side of the harbor is almost deafening at times," ticked the Oakland operator. "They are attempting to blast out pathways in the city blocks wherever the fire threatens in order to check its spread. San Francisco is at times enveloped in smoke and when it lifts we can see flames of burning buildings and occasionally timbers flying from dynamite explosions. Almost all activity, except that of dynamiting appears to have ceased. Very little has been entirely stopped running between Oakland and San Francisco and no one is allowed to enter the burning city. Whenever attempts it is kept back by troops. "Shocks here are continuous, some of them being quite severe. They have gotten on the people's nerves so that when ever the earth trembles almost everyone who is under a roof rushes out doors. Many buildings in San Francisco were so badly damaged by this morning's shock that they are a peril to whoever enters them during continuance of earthquake shocks."

NO MESSAGES

People of Los Angeles Unable to Get Word From Dear Ones in Peril.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 18.—No private messages were sent over the wire open to San Francisco a part of the day on Postal telegraph lines. Before the offices of the company an excited crowd of men and women surged back and forth imploring the officials to send messages through for them to the stricken city to bring back some word from dear ones in peril there. Manager Lewis explained the impossibility of doing so, but they insisted. Men who have large dealings with the company tried to use their influence, implored and threatened, but Lewis shook his head. Maddened men fought their way toward him with handfuls of money, offering it all just for the sending of one word and one in reply. Just that they might know one person in the world was still alive. Lewis compressed his twitching lips and waved the money away. Women cried and sobbed, imploring him to send some word for them. It was no use, the impossible could not be done.

Oakland, Cal., April 18.—Reports from districts outside of San Francisco indicate widespread damage. San Jose, fifty miles south, lost many buildings and fifteen to twenty people killed. At Stanford many of the handsome buildings were demolished and two people killed. Julius Robert Hanna, Bradford, Pa., and Otto Garis, a German, six other students, all Californians, are lying in Palo Alto hospital with bruises, cuts and internal injuries. The court house at Redwood City and other buildings collapsed.

SOME OF THE DEAD

San Francisco, April 18.—Following are names of some of the dead:

ANNIE WHEELAN, killed while asleep in her bed at home.

MYRTLE MINZE.

W. KORNFIELD, 12 years old.

WILLIAM VAIL, aged 4 years.

ANNA WEBSTER.

WILLIAM GUELLIMAN.

JOHN TRAPHY.

GERONIMO STAGMAN.

PHILIP BUSALACCHI.

LOUIS PALADINI.

MRS. HART DRUMM.

MAX FENNER, policeman.

STREVE RUNNER, sergeant of police.

SARIE ISHIDO.

T. LACKAMANDA.

F. MIYIKAI.

MRS. IDA HERRIP.

DR. STANTON, California hotel.

OTTO STEINER, age 16 years. Pushed into room by his father when awed shock came and shouted, "Oh, I am dying." The child fell dead in his father's arms.

LATE REPORT

Loss of Life and Property Damage Cannot Yet be Estimated.

Oakland, April 18.—Thirty thousand houses have been either partially or wholly destroyed by the earthquake and subsequent fire, which has swept San Francisco from one end to the other. Hundreds of buildings are burning without any effort being made to check the flames. By to night it is estimated there will be 15,000 homeless people. The number of dead cannot be readily estimated. One hundred bodies have already been recovered. Falling walls pinned many victims fast and they were compelled to suffer untold agonies while the flames crept toward them. Some believe the number of deaths will reach the appalling figure of 5,000, but from the number of bodies recovered this figure may be excessive. The entire city presents a scene of indescribable confusion. The fire zone is so large that it takes two and one-half hours to go around it. Every automobile, every vehicle and wagon in the city have been pressed into service as ambulances. Mayor Schmitz appointed 3,000 more special policemen. It is estimated that aside from the city fire department there were 2,000 fire fighters.

FACTORIES WIPED OUT.

Nearly every big factory building has been wiped out of existence and complete enumeration of them would look like a copy of a city directory. Many of the finest buildings in the city were leveled to the dust by terrific charges of dynamite in a hopeless effort to stay the horror of fire. In this work many heroic soldiers, policemen and firemen were maimed or killed outright.

At 10 o'clock to night the fire is unabated and thousands of people are fleeing to the hills and clamoring for places on ferry boats at the ferry building. The damage is now believed to have reached \$50,000,000 and 50,000 people are homeless.

TOWN IN RUINS

Los Angeles, April 18.—Santa Rosa is a total wreck and 10,000 people are homeless. The loss of life will probably reach hundreds. The whole business portion of the city tumbled into ruins. Not one business building was left intact. The four story court house is a pile of broken masonry. Nothing is left. Identification impossible. Buildings not destroyed by the earthquake were swept by fire. The citizens fled to the hills and hills to watch the destruction of the city. The water system was destroyed by the earthquake.

AT SAN JOSE.

Oakland, Cal., April 18.—At San Jose the Vendome hotel annex was badly wrecked and ten or fifteen people killed. Every business building was demolished. It is estimated fifty were killed at the post-office, which was half wrecked. Passengers arriving from other cities in California bring tales of death and disaster from nearly all. Santa Cruz, Monterey, Gilroy and Hollister were wrecked. The death list at Santa Cruz is reported big. With one exception all buildings of Stanford university were demolished.

GERMAN SYMPATHY

Expressed by Berlin Papers Over San Francisco's Disaster

Berlin, April 18.—All newspapers deal sympathetically with the situation arising from the earthquake in San Francisco. The Tagesschau says it is certain the entire German people will evince the sincerest sympathy with the sorely stricken city and intimates that money to assist the needy will probably be raised in Germany. The paper expects San Francisco to rise speedily from out the ruins, more beautiful and more powerful, like Chicago after the great fire.

Professor Archibald, director of the Trepow astronomical observatory, expresses himself as doubtful regarding the idea the eruption of Vesuvius and the earthquake at San Francisco were of common origin.

WAVES FROM VESUVIUS

Washington, April 18.—In connection with the vibrations in this city, Prof. Willis Moore of the weather bureau said to day that the eruption of Vesuvius was recorded during its entire period on the magnetic instruments of the research station at Mount Weather, a few miles from this city, in Virginia.

Professor Moore stated, however, that this was not an earthquake record, but rather that Vesuvius acted like a powerful wireless transmitter and Mount Weather as the receiver, Vesuvius with its eruptions there disturbing the electrical potentials, which disturbances sent out electric magnetic waves that reached the earth.

The records at Mount Weather were clear and distinct. Professor Moore was not prepared to say whether the eruption of Vesuvius has anything to do with the present earthquake.

TO RELIEVE SUFFERING

OFFICIAL ACTION TAKEN BY CHICAGO.

Special Meeting of City Council to be Held Today to Arrange for Assisting the Stricken People of San Francisco.

Chicago, April 18.—Chicago will take immediate official action to aid in relieving the suffering and destruction in San Francisco. A special meeting of the council will be held to tomorrow afternoon at which resolutions of sympathy will be tendered the stricken city and Mayor Dunne will be authorized to appoint a committee representing all business houses, trades, organizations and nationalities in the city to take charge of contributions of money and supplies which will be sent to the coast as rapidly as possible. Arrangements for the formation of trains bearing relief to the stricken city will be made at once.

A mass meeting of citizens will be held to tomorrow morning for the purpose of formulating measures of relief.

The Chicago Commercial association to night offered financial aid to the citizens of San Francisco.

Uniontown, Ill., April 18.—A relief fund for San Francisco earthquake sufferers was started to day by the board of supervisors, who voted \$200 for the purpose.

THE GREAT CALAMITY

Cast a Pall Over Congress Yesterday.

Washington, April 18.—A pall hung over the house to day by reason of the great calamity at San Francisco and nearby towns. Legislation went on, but in a perfunctory way. Members of the California delegation were besieged with inquiries and members from San Francisco and Oakland districts showed the strain upon them at not being able to ascertain whether or not their families were victims of the shock and their homes destroyed. The bill extending national irrigation law to Texas passed. The District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up to continue before the house the remainder of the week.

PRESIDENT'S INQUIRY.

President Roosevelt to night received a telegram from Governor Pardee of California in response to the president's telegraphic inquiry sent early in the day. The governor's message follows:

"Owing to interruption of telegraphic communication the extent of the disaster in San Francisco is not well known here, but no doubt the calamity is very serious. The people of California appreciate your prompt inquiry and offer of assistance. State troops are doing patrol duty and if federal assistance is needed will call on you."

FROM GEN. FUNSTON.

The first message received from General Funston arrived here at 11:30 to night. It was addressed to Secretary Taft. The message follows:

"We need thousands of tents and all nations that can be sent. Residence portion of city destroyed and about 100,000 people homeless. The fire is still raging. Troops all on duty assisting police. Loss of life probably 1,000. Best portion of residence district not yet burned."

INSURANCE

Chicago, April 18.—Fire insurance companies had about \$250,000,000 at risk in San Francisco, the estimate being based on premiums received in 1905. The total San Francisco premiums in 1905 were \$2,955,516 of which \$1,615,750 was written by American companies and \$1,339,766 in foreign companies.

CITY ORDERLY

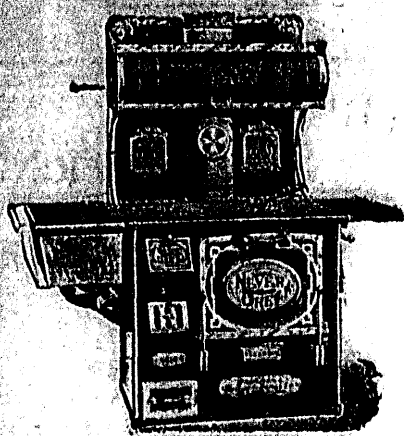
San Francisco, April 18.—The city to night, in the face of its appalling disaster, is fairly quiet and orderly. Liquor cannot be had anywhere and the formidable presence of federal troops, militia and naval reserves has had its effect on any element that might be disposed to be disorderly. The mayor's proclamation authorizing the shooting of looters on sight has been scattered broadcast on circulars and little reports of thieving have been received.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

New York, April 18.—George Sutton, who broke the world's record in 18-2 billiards last night, defeated George F. Slosson to night in the seventeenth game of the international championship contest, by a score of 50 to 27. This afternoon's game resulted in a victory for Cutler. Score—Cutler, 67; Cutler, 50.

Chillicothe, Mo., April 18.—Martha J. Sterling, who has been married only a month to William C. Sterling, a farmer of Jackson, has filed a suit for divorce. She alleges that her husband did not even let her experience the happiness of a honeymoon, but began to abuse her immediately after their marriage. She states that he scolded her constantly, refused to pay for the washing done at the house, never spoke a kind word to her and even struck her once, marring her quite seriously.

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COMMENCEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE—
HON. FRANK A. VANDERLIP

Will Deliver Address to Graduating Class—Baccalaureate Sermon by Dr. John B. Shaw of Chicago.

Arrangements have been completed for the baccalaureate sermon and the commencement address at Illinois college next June. The Reverend John B. Shaw, of the Second Presbyterian church of Chicago, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, and Hon. Frank A. Vanderlip, of the National City Bank, New York, will deliver the commencement address on commencement day. The college is most fortunate in securing such well known and able men to participate in the commencement exercises. John B. Shaw is well known as a most eloquent preacher and energetic religious worker and an author of prominence. He is a New York man by birth and is a graduate of Lafayette college and the Union Theological seminary. He has also received honorary degrees from Lafayette college and from Hamilton college. Dr. Shaw was ordained to the ministry in 1888 and before coming to Chicago was pastor of the West End Presbyterian church in New York City. He has contributed largely to magazines and religious journals and is the author of several well known works, such as "Secret of Soul Winning" and "Where the Shadows Lie." The graduating class, the friends of the college and the public of Jacksonville will have an excellent opportunity to hear an able preacher on Baccalaureate Sunday.

Following the custom inaugurated last year, there will be a commencement address by an outside speaker. The valedictorian and salutatorian of the senior class will deliver orations, and these with the commencement address and the president's report will include the main part of the commencement exercises.

Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip, who will speak on this occasion, is well known in Illinois and throughout the country. A native of Illinois, he received his early education and achieved his early successes in our state. He attended the University of Illinois and the University of Chicago, the former institution having conferred upon him at the installation exercises of President James I. Fall the degree of Master of Arts. Mr. Vanderlip began his career as a newspaper man, acting as reporter for the Chicago Tribune. Later he became the financial editor of this important metropolitan newspaper. He was for a time the private secretary of Lyman Gage, and in June of 1897 he was appointed assistant secretary of the United States treasury. A few years ago he resigned his position in the treasury department to accept the vice-presidency of the National City bank of New York. Mr. Vanderlip is a man of broad interests and a writer of decided merit. His articles on "The American Commercial Invasion of Europe," which appeared recently in Scribner's magazine, attracted considerable attention and are excellent proof of his keen powers of observation and business insight. Mr. Vanderlip has also taken a keen interest and active participation in educational affairs. He was largely instrumental in drawing up plans for the Carnegie Foundation, the fund which has been established for the pensioning of college professors. Last June he delivered an address on industrial education before the National Educational association in Ashbury Park, Jacksonville may confidently expect an excellent address from this gentleman of national reputation.

Millinery cheap at Lender.

PRACTICE SHOULD CEASE.

Now that the spring cleaning time has come, trash of various descriptions is being dumped promiscuously in alleys and on the public streets. As a matter of preserving the public health, not to mention maintaining the tidy appearance of our thoroughfares, this practice should cease. One irate property owner of the city has posted in the rear of his premises the following sign: "Dump your trash on your own side of the alley. Please take warning." The sign undoubtedly should have read "do not dump trash here at all, under penalty of prosecution."

Miss Page and Ernest Gamble tonight, State Street Church.

STUBBORN COUGHS.

A cough which lingers on long after every other symptom of a cold has disappeared should have attention as it indicates some throat or lung trouble and may result seriously. Mr. Alexander McMillan, of Maple Ridge, Mich., recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for this trouble. He says: "I used this remedy for a stubborn cough with the best results and I think there is nothing like it. I cannot speak too highly of it." For sale by all leading druggists.

Court House News

COUNTY COURT.

PEOPLE'S CASES.

People vs. James M. Wood; selling liquor without license. Defendant asks leave to file plea to statement. Leave granted. Information dismissed and defendant discharged.
People vs. John Wood; selling liquor without license. Same order.
Same vs. Charles Belk; same charge. Defendant moves for continuance. Same allowed.
Same vs. Richard H. Hoeking; same charge. Same order.
Same vs. Charles Pate; same charge. Cause continued with order for alias writ.
Same vs. Isaac Harbert; same charge. Cause continued.
LAW.

John Kerr vs. Susan A. Roberts; assumption. By agreement of parties jury waived and cause to be tried by court April 27, by agreement.
Susan A. Lankton vs. Mary J. Scott; assumption. Default of defendant and damages assessed at \$305.26 and judgment for same and costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Edward L. Dunlap to Lizzie Dunlap, land in 20-15-8; \$1.
A. Stewart to H. Norris, part lot 20, Wolcott's addition; \$1,525.
Mary E. Lorton to William S. Lorton, part lots 10 and 11, Askew & Springer's addition; \$1.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Nancy A. Henderson; appraisal bill. Inventory approved. Petition for sale of personal property at private sale. Same heard and allowed.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

C. W. Tolle, Chambersburg; Mrs. Ida Alexander, Jacksonville.
Ernest G. Jordan, Jacksonville; H. May Dawson, Whitehall.

PRESSED DOWN AND RUN-NING OVER.

In the interest of the work being done by the Illinois Children's Home and Aid society, I asked the people of Jacksonville to subscribe \$300 this year instead of the \$200 that they have been giving.

The canvas closed with \$320 subscribed, but the best part of it has been the spirit in which it has been subscribed. In every instance the pledge has been made as though it were a pleasure to make it and not a cross. The work of the society is becoming so thoroughly known that people consider it a pleasure to have a part in it.

Ninety-seven children have been taken from Morgan county by the organization. From five to six each year are taken from Jacksonville. During the last week we received one very distressing case, a little girl of not quite eight years of age, yet with such a handicap upon her in her surroundings as would almost surely have made her a ruined girl. In less than a week she looks like a new girl, and she will make a noble woman.

There is no more busy person in the city than the district superintendent. Will the subscribers who have not yet paid save his time for other work by paying the subscriptions which are now all due, to Dunlap, Russell & Co.'s bank? And will those who have so grandly helped us this year accept our hearty thanks for the society and ourselves also?
E. A. Whitman, Dist. Supt.

Wanted—Copy of Daily Journal of December 1, 1905. Will pay 50 cents.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

James Wells entertained a few friends Wednesday afternoon at the home of his parents on West Superior avenue in honor of his 7th birthday. Out of door games were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Among those present were Earl Fitch, Layman Wells, John Morrissey, Carl Stout, Arthur Johnson, Willie Cruzan, Earl Ricks, Ben Wells, Pittner Carter, Abner Johnson and Wayman Wells.

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Jacksonville Reader will Feel Grateful for This Information.

When your back gives out, becomes lame, weak or aching; When urinary troubles set in; Your kidneys are "in a bad way," Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you. Here is local evidence to prove it: John Fonton, employed with Arthur Jordan, poultry and produce business on North Main street, says: "I was taken with an attack of acute pain through my back and kidneys. I could not stoop, and in fact, became so bad that I could not work, or hardly move around. Mr. P. A. Kaule, the engineer at the Davis, Snyder & Co.'s ice plant, next door to us, advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box at Dr. H. Lee Hatch's drug store. The results obtained were simply magical. In a short time my back was strengthened, the pain disappeared and I was as well as ever." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no other.



OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

New Spring Clothing

We are now ready to show our new spring clothing, odd pants, hats, caps, shirts and underwear and you will find our prices right and our goods up to date.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

A full line of men's, ladies', boys', misses' and children's shoes at moderate prices. Rubber goods of every kind.

Books and Stationery

A full line of school books and school supplies for any school; we have all kinds. Magazines, periodicals, dramatic papers and paper bound fiction.

Window Shades, Feather Dusters and Toilet Paper.

Paints and Oils

We sell everything in the paint line, lead, oil, turps, asphaltum, Japan, varnishes, shellac, putty, floor wax and any kind of paint brush you want.

B. P. S. Paints.

The only pure paint sold. All colors, inside or outside paint guaranteed. Cheaper than lead and oil and will last longer.



OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

Telephone 200. N.-E. Cor. Square.

GARDEN TOOLS

The warm days and April showers should make you think of gardening. How about it? Are you ready? We are, with the tools, Hoes, Rakes, Forks, Spades, Shovels, Plows, Pruning Shears, etc.

CARPENTERS' AND PAINTERS' TOOLS

Best line of Carpenter Tools in the city. The old reliable Adams' Paint Brushes. Tell us your wants for anything kept in an up-to-date hardware and paint store.

SUTTER & TICKNOR

North Main and North Streets

The Little Store with the Big Business

FLOUR

Best Kansas Patent
50 lb. sack \$1.10

FLOUR

Gold Medal
50 lb. sack \$1.25

COFFEE

When you borrow Coffee from your neighbor be sure to ask for HAXBY'S MOCHA AND JAVA. It's the best Coffee sold in the city.
One pound 25c
Four one-half pounds \$1.00

STAR and HORSESHOE TOBACCO

per pound 45c

SEED POTATOES

Red River Ohio, bushel 90c

MAPLECAKE

The best Maple Syrup on earth.

No glucose, gallon 50c

CORN STARCH

1 pound package 5c

ONION SETS

Red or Yellow, gallon 20c

VANILLA WAFERS

2 pounds for 25c

SODA CRACKERS

4 pounds for 25c

Country Lard

This week we will have several jars of genuine country lard. Better bring in your jar and get your supply for the summer.

Strawberries

Southern Berries are arriving daily in splendid condition and the price is now within reach of all. Every day will be strawberry day from now on.

Either Phone. HAXBY 300 S. Main St.

NEW STOCK OF

Sponges, Chamois & Dusters

Just Received at

HATCH'S Drug Store.

"HOT STUFF"

A Man With a 'Small Coal Bill.

The man who has a small coal bill, but has kept his house warm and comfortable as well isn't a magician—he simply filled his bins with GATES' "Ideal Coal."

A free burning coal, the best fuel.

R. A. Gates & Son

Phones: Bell, 1803; Ill., 10.

April Diamonds

Show Up in Sparkling Shape This Year

Though April is called specifically.

"Diamond Month"

We are beginning to feel that they are all Diamond months.

Don't forget that it cannot be otherwise. "She imply will have them." "We help you help her" at

Schram's Jewelry Store

FLOUR AND FEED

STORE: 222 N. MAIN STREET
Gold Medal, Golden Link, Dakota Patent and other superior brands. All kinds of feed. Prompt delivery a specialty.

THOMASONS' Flour and Feed Store

Both Phones. FOR RENT

CONSERVATORY HALL,

Southwest Corner Square. Centrally located. New hard maple floor. Back and front entrance. Anterooms and modern toilet arrangements. Well lighted and heated. For Rate Apply to

City and County

John Paschall, of Markham, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Patrick Harmon, of Pisgah, was a Wednesday business caller in the city.

Mrs. M. J. Palmer, of Boardtown, was in the city Wednesday visiting friends.

Miss Ella Mackness after visiting here the past six months, has returned to her home in Chicago.

White Rose camp No. 2660, R. N. A., will give a social dance Monday evening, April 23, at Odeon hall.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the First Baptist church will have an all day meeting at Mrs. S. T. Anderson's on Friday.

CARPETS TAKEN UP, CLEANED AND LAID ALL THE SAME DAY. MORGAN.

Mrs. S. W. Baxter has returned to her home in East St. Louis after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles French.

Rena Hive No. 245 of L. O. T. M., entertainment and refreshments April 24. Maecabees' hall, Admission 15c.

John Bradbury, a former citizen of this city, but now of Springfield, was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

E. P. Jones and two daughters have arrived home after spending the winter in Biloxi, Miss.

Rev. I. D. Meriwether, who has spent the better part of the winter in Missouri, has returned to his home at 324 Anna street.

SEE OUR FINE LINE OF IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC FURNITURE COVERINGS, MORGAN.

Miss Nellie Magill is improving very satisfactorily at the hospital, and expects to be removed to her home the latter part of the week.

Hear Ernest Gamble to night in a program not so popular as to be musically cheap, but not so severely classical as not to be popular.

Rev. R. O. Post, D. D., returned last night from East St. Louis where he had been attending the Springfield association of Congregational churches.

The Hospital Aid society will meet this afternoon with Mrs. G. E. Doying 921 Grove street. This is the last meeting of the year and election of officers will be held.

MORGAN WILL TAKE UP YOUR CARPETS, CLEAN AND LAY THEM, UPHOLSTER YOUR FURNITURE, RENOVATE YOUR BEDS. BOTH PHONES.

Boland & Co., the popular south-side clothiers and gents' furnishers, have installed some very clever and up-to-date hat shelves. They are built on the sectional plan, have glass doors that roll back, and are certainly an addition to the other handsome fixtures that are employed by this enterprising firm.

\$2.92 Jacksonville to Galesburg, Ill., and return account annual state G. A. R. encampment, May 22-24. Tickets on sale in Burlington Route May 21, 22 and 23. Limit to May 25.

Notice—Lady, whose near relative has been cured of epileptic fits, out of gratitude wishes to send (by mail) particulars of the cure to friends of those similarly affected. Address L. B., 754 Albany St., Schenectady, N. Y.

Ernest Gamble tonight.

Those in charge of the supper at Grace church last night are indebted to Mr. Leavenworth, who represents Franklin McVey & Co., for furnishing the Club House coffee used. The coffee was unusually good.

Carpets cleaning, Moore Rug Co

RUMMAGE SALE.

The Pulpit Circle of the Christian church will hold a rummage sale in the Huntoon building, West State street, Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21.

ANNUAL GRACE CHURCH SUPPER

Members of Methodist Congregation Held Delightful Gathering—Sentiments Appropriate to Occasion Expressed in Brief Speeches.

Under the direction of the Ladies' Aid society of Grace church a church supper was given Wednesday night and it was such a successful gathering of the church family that it is to be made an annual event. The ladies of the society had been planning for such a supper for several months and finally decided upon Wednesday as the date. The invitation to be present met with almost unanimous response and the occasion will long be remembered as one of the most pleasant in the history of the church. The members gathered in the main audience room and at 6:30 o'clock all were invited to the Sunday school room below where tables attractively spread were in readiness. Easter lilies and fragrant roses were used for decorations and the room presented a very attractive appearance. Dr. W. F. Short said grace and then a very attractive and liberal menu was served with seeming ease. Afterward Dr. T. J. Pitner, as master of ceremonies, spoke in a congratulatory vein giving especial credit to the women of the church for planning the supper and for other good works. Dr. Pitner first introduced Dr. H. H. Oneal, who spoke on "The Pulpit." He said:

"It takes me five minutes to start and five to stop, so I do not see what chance I have. This scene delights me. It is the largest prayer meeting I have seen in Jacksonville. The pulpit in its large sense represents the church. The impression objects make on us depends on the view point and I am to speak of the church from the view point of the ministry. There are several features of church life that should be observed. Much depends upon the distribution, co-operation and organization of labor. The work of this church is well organized. We have twelve to fifteen organizations and the affairs of the church are well managed. There are the required and the voluntary organizations and all are well organized. I abundantly rejoice in the prosperity of our church and in the spirit of good-fellowship which prevails and congratulate you on this auspicious occasion."

Mr. F. E. Baldwin spoke for "The Pew." He said in part: "I am reminded of the story of Zacchaeus, for I feel somewhat up a tree and do not know what to say. The subject may apply to the faithful old member who always attentively occupies a front pew or may apply to the new member who does not feel so much at home in the church. Then there is the view point of the stranger, who drops into the first pew at hand. The view point of the old member is best. How sweet it is to be a faithful churchman, interested in every word which falls from the pastor's lips and wholly interested in all of the affairs of the church. If every member could feel inspired by the same spirit that moves our beloved pastor what a great church we would be. We have a faithful and devoted pilot and if the crew be faithful and active there will be great and good results."

"The Pocketbook and the Church" was the theme assigned to Dr. J. R. Harker, who was introduced as the "Little Napoleon of Finance." "I do not feel quite as familiar with my subject as I would like to be. The church takes us early in life and gives us names. Then she cares for us and later unites the man and woman and finally cares for us in the end of life. The church pocketbook is feminine, in that it is usually open and it doesn't seem to make much difference how much is put in there is seldom anything left there. Into the pocketbook of Grace church there goes \$5,000 or more annually. That is about \$100 per week. Only a small part comes in the collections outside of the envelopes. About \$3,000 comes in from the envelopes and the rest comes from the Sunday school and other organizations. A goodly part of the money goes to the pastor's salary and I want to say that I think it well spent. The lamp of the pulpit shines brightly every Sunday and we get new things as well as old truths. Though we give liberally if we would follow the scripture and bring in the tithes our treasury would overflow."

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Special Sale OF Lace Curtains

\$3.50. \$4.25. \$5.00

50c a pair and upward

Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, we are going to upset some old-time curtain traditions. We're going to put on sale one hundred pairs of choice Lace Curtains, and the price per pair is \$5.00 or less.

Perhaps you have thought you must pay a big price for good curtains; maybe you have figured \$7.50 or \$10.00 as a fair price for curtains. Then come here tomorrow early, and we will show you where you are wrong.

A special purchase from the Lehigh manufacturing Company—and nobody makes better curtains—Irish Point, Nottingham, Bobinet, Cluny—beautiful weaves, graceful designs, firm textures, the kind worth double the price, and they look it.

We say to all shrewd shoppers, if you want to secure big money's worth, don't miss this special curtain sale. Bring your best judgment, we invite critical inspection. They are here—good Lace Curtains—don't expect any other kind—and the price is \$5.00 (or less). The early comers will be the lucky ones.

MONTGOMERY @ DEPPE

The Wonder of the Age!

DR. PERKINS' SANITARY REFRIGERATOR

The only Refrigerator ever made in which you can keep at one and the same time and without taint, fish, milk, butter, cheese, onion, meats, &c. It sounds like a fairy tale, but it's true, and yet this WONDERFUL REFRIGERATOR costs no more than prices asked for other good Refrigerators.

Come and See Its Operation

Our Furniture Dept.

Is Teeming with Good Things

Iron Beds.....from \$2 50 up	Dining Tables.....from 3.50 to 40.00
Folding Beds.....from \$12.00 to \$40 00	Buffet Boards.....from 22 00 to 35 00
Brass Beds.....from 18 00 to 60.00	Dressersfrom 8.00 to 40.00
Sideboards.....from 12 75 to 60.00	A 45-lb. felt Mattress, satin finish tick, double side tufted, for only \$10 00

CARPETS, RUGS, MATTING, SHADES, LACE CURTAINS, DRAPERY.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

HOUSEFURNISHERS.

F. J. WADDELL & CO.

O. K. STORE

New Gray Dress Goods

We've used the telegraph and express freely to get a new lot of the much wanted gray dress goods ready for this week's selling and are fortunate in securing just the right shades of gray in some fine Chiffon Panamas, tailor checks and stylish mixtures, 56 inches wide, \$1.00 to \$1.50 yd.

Three Specials in White Goods

Plain sheer white French lawn, genuine 45c grade, here for 29c a yard; 45 inches wide. Imported Persian lawn, 45 inches wide and worth 25c a yard, here for 18c a yd; 25c fine white mercerized waists, new small patterns, reduced to 19c a yard.

Handkerchiefs

by the dozen or half dozen at only a slight advance over the importer's prices. Ladies' plain white, all linen, hemstitched handkerchiefs, 90c and \$1.15 per doz.; men's plain white hemstitched handkerchiefs, \$1.50 and \$2.00 a doz. All of these are special numbers, at least one-third under real value.

White Embroidered Flannels 55c yd

yard wide cream white, all wool, flannel, silk embroidered, in pretty designs, for infants' wear; new lot of regular 75c styles, for 55c a yard.

Repel Rain and Shower-proof Cloths

for making rain coats and walking suits, in tans, olive and Oxford, 50 inches, splendid serviceable cloths \$1.50 a yard.

Long Silk Gloves

16 button lengths, double tipped fingers, in perfect fitting silk gloves, in white, champagne, pink, light blue, Nile; \$1.00 a pair.

Topsy Stockings.

have proved their worth to thousands of customers and this spring's styles are prettier than ever. Plain serviceable cottons, pretty lace lises and sheer gauze lises, in black, white and fancy colors, some silk embroidered, some very superior values in Topsy stockings at 25c and 50c a pair.

CHOICE OXFORDS

Dorothy Dodd



See the snap to these low shoes. The style, the leathers, the splendid making,

Cannot be Excelled.

The man or woman desiring the best in summer footwear should see OURS



Hillerby, Vickery & Brady

(THE THREE GEORGES)

Strawn's Block,

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The Prevailing SPRING STYLES!



New Creations

Of course you want your feet well covered with a nice smooth fitting, up to date, well made shoe for spring and summer wear. Everything that is new that is worthy of consideration can be found among our extensive offerings. If you want the best that money can secure you, just come our way.

Well Dressed Feet

We are showing long lines of new, up to date shoes and oxfords for men and boys in all new leathers and shapes. You cannot equal them.

Our ladies' low shoes are quite the rage, assortment varied, all leathers and styles, button or lace. You will miss it if you pass them—See the show case.

All Kinds of Work Shoes.
Children's Slippers



Two Competent Shoemakers

HOPPER'S

The Lowest Prices

INDICATIONS.

Washington, April 15.—For Illinois: Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday showers and cooler; west to northwest winds, possibly increasing Friday.

Big lot of nobby millinery is expected to arrive today from the east.
J. HERMAN.

BASEBALL SCORES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Pittsburgh.....	4 4 1
Cincinnati.....	7 9 3
At Chicago.....	R. H. E.
Chicago.....	11 12 1
St. Louis.....	1 4 2
At Brooklyn.....	R. H. E.
Brooklyn.....	1 6 4
New York.....	4 5 1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
At Detroit.....	R. H. E.
Detroit.....	3 8 2
Chicago.....	4 5 0
At Philadelphia.....	R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....	4 5 0
Washington.....	2 6 0
At St. Louis.....	R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	0 4 0
Cleveland.....	4 11 1
At Boston.....	R. H. E.
Boston.....	2 10 3
New York.....	3 4 6

Ball goods at Ledford's

H. A. Graves, who won second place in the state intercollegiate oratorical contest was drilled by Prof. J. H. Rayhill, who enjoys the distinction of having coached successfully many candidates for oratorical honors.

Baseballs. Ledford's.

CHANGE OF FIRM.
We desire to announce to the public that we have sold our grocery store and fixtures to Frank A. Stock and fixtures to Frank A. We also wish to take advantage of this opportunity to thank those who favored us with their patronage and respectfully solicit a continuance of same with the new firm.
Cosgriff & Ward.

Smoke the Kenwood 5c cigar.

A WONDER WORKER

Demonstration of Work Made in Knights of Pythias Hall.

The occasion of the annual cleaning of the Knights of Pythias hall being at hand, F. R. Morgan was employed to do the work with his compressed air machine. This wonderful equipment attracted many to the hall yesterday where the cleaning was being done and one would not have believed that such remarkable results could be accomplished as was demonstrated with this machine had they not been present to see the work done.

The most difficult work in cleaning is encountered in the large halls and buildings with high ceilings and those with much panel and decorative work around and on ceilings, but Mr. Morgan easily overcame all obstacles with his compressed air machine, reaching every nook and corner, blowing dirt and dust in great clouds from points where it had settled and was beyond reach of a ladder and a broom.

There is no question but what this method of cleaning for halls is far ahead of anything yet put on the market. The terrific pressure driving the air from the compressor dislodges every particle of dust. The wall and floor back of the radiators is cleaned just as thoroughly as any other point. Wall paper and frescoing is not left streaked as is the case of rubbing down with a rag. For houses as well as halls and lodge rooms the Morgan compressed air machine has no equal and you should inquire about it when you are contemplating having any work of this kind done.

VERNA PAGE, Probably the world's greatest violinist, will appear tonight with Ernest Gamble at State Street Church. Prices 50c, 75c and \$1. Reserved seats at Smith's.

DEATH RECORD

RODERICK.

Mrs. Henry Day received word Wednesday announcing the death of her nephew, Robert Roderick, of San Francisco, Cal. Deceased was the son of Mrs. Mary Roderick, of Springfield, Ill. Death resulted from appendicitis.

The time for the funeral had not been announced.

REEVES.

Daisy Reeves, month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. George Reeves, of Edgmon street, died Wednesday evening about 9 o'clock.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FUNERALS

DOYLE.

The funeral services of Thomas Doyle were held at the Church of Our Savior Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, requiem high mass being sung by Rev. Fr. O'Brien and the forty Sanitary boys. A great many of the employees of the C. P. & St. L. shops were in attendance, the shops having been closed for the day out of respect for the deceased.

Many magnificent floral tributes were offered by friends and fellow employees of Mr. Doyle, and they were in charge of Mrs. Lee Deatherage, Mrs. John Devlin and Miss Reidy.

At the conclusion of the services at the church the remains were taken to Calvary cemetery, where interment was made. The bearers were Daniel Baha, John Tuitt, Charles L. Degen, Frank Tuitt, James Henghan and William Walsh.

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POLICE NEWS.

Oscar Berry was arrested by Capt. Kennedy and Patrolman Tuitt for assault and battery upon Ollie Dollear.

MRS. M. P. AYERS CALLED BY DEATH

Suffered Stroke of Paralysis Wednesday Evening and Passed Away at Midnight—Had Lived in Jacksonville Over Sixty Years.

Mrs. Marshall P. Ayers answered the final summons Wednesday at midnight, death being due to a stroke of paralysis, which she suffered about 9:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. She had been in her usual health for the past year or more and went about as usual yesterday until stricken. She was 79 years of age.

Laura Allan was born in Huntsville, Ala., and was the daughter of Rev. John Allan. She came to Jacksonville in 1844 to make her home with an aunt, Mrs. Eliza Smith, and in 1846 was married to Marshall P. Ayers. This union continued until 1902 when Mr. Ayers was called by death. For fifty-six years Mrs. Ayers had occupied her home on West State street and few persons in Jacksonville can claim a longer residence in one place. She was essentially a woman of the home and in the exemplification of those sweet, womanly virtues that made it a place of comfort and contentment she reared a large family of children whom she was permitted to see grow to maturity and occupy places of honor and responsibility in the communities where they reside.

Her death removes one of the few women who were here when Jacksonville was nothing more than a village and have seen its schools and colleges develop and the community grow until it has all the essentials characteristic of a modern thriving city. Mrs. Ayers was a keen observer of events as they transpired and watched the changes of the years with ever increasing interest. Pleasant and genial in disposition, she drew about her a circle of friends who enjoyed her companionship and held her in the highest esteem. She leaves behind her the influence that comes from the practice of Christian principles, an influence that will ever be cherished by her children and that will abide as a precious memory.

Mrs. Ayers was a member of Westminster Presbyterian church and was one of the oldest members of that congregation. She is survived by seven children: John A. Ayers, Mrs. Edward L. McDonald, Walter Ayers and Mrs. Helen Ayers Bullard, of this city; Edward Ayers, of New York City; Mrs. E. F. Kaine, of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. George Moeller, of Decatur. One son, D. B. Ayers, died five years ago in Springfield. One sister, Miss Sarah Allan, of this city, also survives.

Funeral announcement will be made later.

Ernest Gamble tonight.

WINCHESTER TRIP.
Judge Charles A. Barnes, John J. Reeve, R. A. Gates and Jerome Gates were members of an auto party that went to Winchester Wednesday evening to attend a Knights of Pythias initiation and banquet. Frank C. Smith, state chancellor, was among the guests present. George Wolke accompanied the party as auto driver.

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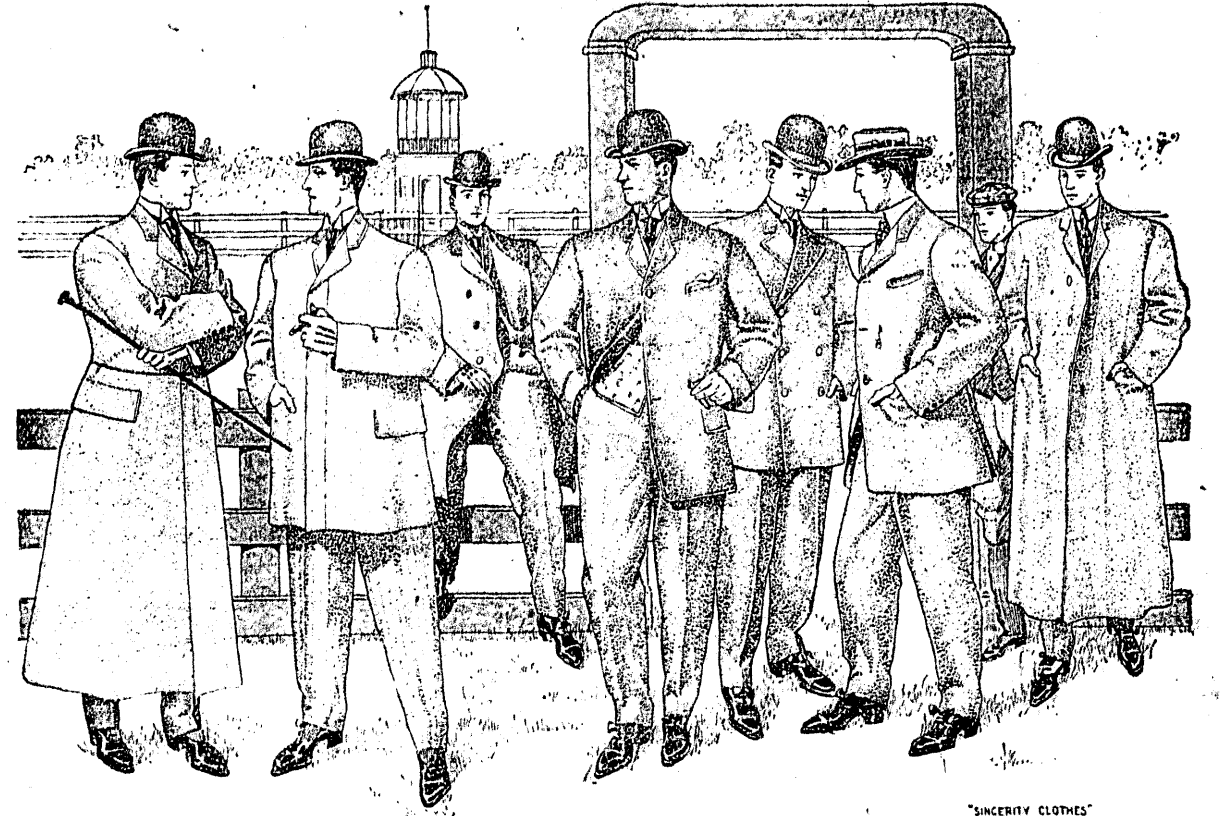
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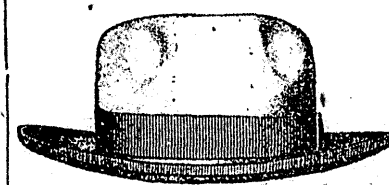
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